

activity to do without running investigations and levying fines.

SENATOR WARNER: But as far as any accountability from the public's point of view on the proper campaign, why they would have no role other than a filing place. Right?

SENATOR CONWAY: It would be a depository and then open to the general public to make their determination, and/or if someone does break the specific statute we have in place, any county attorney can be notified and the normal judicial system would kick in.

SENATOR WARNER: Well, it doesn't sound like a very good idea.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any other discussion on the Conway amendment? If not, all in favor of the adoption of the amendment to the amendment vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the amendment to the amendment. Simple majority. Anyone else care to vote? Please record.

CLERK: 8 ayes, 15 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the amendment to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment to the amendment fails. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Withem would move to amend the committee amendments. (The Withem amendment appears on page 1364 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: The member from Papillion, Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, Mr. President, LB...the amendment to the committee amendment is, basically, a compromise dealing with the manner of disclosing the street address in the disclaimer on radio and television advertisements. The commission wants this disclosed. The industry points out, I think, correctly that on 15-second radio advertisements to take 10-seconds of that time for the disclaimer probably would defeat the purpose. What this does is it says radio and television stations shall, rather than disclosing on the air the...who paid for the ad and all of that information, that they have to keep it on record for at least six months so it's available to the public if the public wants to know, but it doesn't take a lot of the time of the advertisement otherwise. This is agreed to by the Nebraska Press Association and by the Executive Director of the